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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

December 16, 2013

Reviewed:

Mine Name: Green Beetle Quarry	Permit Number: S/003/0017
Operator Name: Park Valley Quartzite, LLC	Inspection Date: June 4, 2013
Inspector(s): Lynn Kunzler & Steve Schneider	Time: 3:15 pm
Other Participants: None	Mine Status: inactive

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts,	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

Routine Inspection

Inspection Summary:

Annual permit fees have not been paid for 5 years. The Division hold a reclamation surety in the amount of \$18,700 for reclamation of this site. The BLM holds additional surety for the access road (under a right of way agreement).

The last reported mine activity was in 2005. The ROW has expired, however the BLM has indicated that they will allow the operator access for reclamation purposes only. This has been passed on to the operator, who indicated that he would try to get the site reclaimed this year.

The site appeared to have had no activity for several years now. The site is also stable and free of garbage.

Photos were taken to document site conditions

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The operator needs to reclaim this site this year or potentially face enforcement action. The surety has not been escalated as previously requested, however there has been no activity since the escalation request, and the operator has been planning to reclaim ever since then (although it has not been done yet). Past Due permit fees totaling \$750.00 needs to be remitted ASAP.

Inspector's Signature

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